

IN THE CLAIMS:

1. (Original) A polyvinyl alcohol film which dissolves in water at 20°C within 10 minutes, and has an α/β ratio of not more than 10 wherein α is a storage modulus of the film at 20°C in a dry atmosphere and β is a storage modulus of the film at 20°C and 80 %RH.

2. (Original) The film of claim 1, which has a glass transition temperature of not more than 20°C.

3. (Original) The film of claim 1, which is prepared by forming a film from a resin composition [I] containing at least two kinds of polyvinyl alcohol resins (A) having different degrees of hydrolysis.

4. (Original) The film of claim 3, wherein said resin composition [I] comprises two kinds of polyvinyl alcohol resins (A) having different degrees of hydrolysis, and the difference in degree of hydrolysis between a polyvinyl alcohol resin (a1) having a lower degree of hydrolysis and a polyvinyl alcohol resin (a2) having a higher degree of hydrolysis is at least 3 % by mole.

5. (Original) The film of claim 4, wherein said polyvinyl alcohol resin (a1) has a degree of hydrolysis of not less than 70 % by mole to less than 82 % by mole, and said polyvinyl alcohol resin (a2) has a degree of hydrolysis of not less than 82 % by mole.

6. (Currently Amended) The film of claim ~~4 or 5~~, wherein the ratio of polyvinyl alcohol resin (a1) to polyvinyl alcohol resin (a2) is from 50/50 to 90/10 by weight.

7. (Currently Amended) The film of ~~any one of claims 1 to 6~~claim 3, which further contains an inorganic filler (B) having an average particle size of 1 to 10 μm .

8. (Currently Amended) The film of ~~any one of claims 1 to 7~~claim 3, which further contains a plasticizer (C).

9. (Currently Amended) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of ~~any one of claims 1 to 8 and 11~~, claim 1, and a chemical.

10. (Original) The package of claim 9, wherein said chemical charged is a liquid at ordinary temperature.

11. (New) The film of claim 5, wherein the ratio of polyvinyl alcohol resin (a1) to polyvinyl alcohol resin (a2) is from 50/50 to 90/10 by weight.

12. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 2, and a chemical.

13. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 3, and a chemical.

14. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 4, and a chemical.

15. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 5, and a chemical.

16. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 6, and a chemical.

17. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 7, and a chemical.

18. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 8, and a chemical.

19. (New) A package of a chemical comprising a polyvinyl alcohol film of claim 11, and a chemical.